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BECKER *et al.*

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**AMENDMENT AND REPLY TO 2<sup>nd</sup> RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

Sir:

This response is filed in reply to the Office Communication, mailed on September 22, 2005, regarding a *bona fide* response to the 2<sup>nd</sup> Restriction Requirement, mailed June 16, 2005, in connection with the above application.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 21 of this paper.